

To: Wharton, Steve[Wharton.Steve@epa.gov]
From: Murray, Bill
Sent: Fri 5/29/2015 2:18:17 PM
Subject: RE: Positive Note

Steve,

David Ostrander and I met with Martin yesterday on Silverton. The purpose was to let Martin

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Have a good weekend!

Bill

From: Wharton, Steve
Sent: Friday, May 29, 2015 8:11 AM
To: Hestmark, Martin
Cc: Stavnes, Sandra; Murray, Bill
Subject: Positive Note

Martin - I wanted to let you know that Liz, Paula, Cynthia and I shared a very enjoyable dinner and conversation with Commissioners Scott Fetchenhier and Peter McKay, County Administrator Willy Tookey and Mayor Chris Tookey and San Juan Historical Society Director Bev Rich last night, here at the San Juan Mining Conference. This was at the invitation of Peter McKay during the social hour.

The conversation covered a broad range of topics, none of which included soil sampling

or really much at all about Superfund sites. It did, however, include a lively discussion about the official town dog, a half-wolf, half-shepherd mix that the town board adopted as the town mascot through proclamation. There was good sharing about the team members as people, their individual interests and histories. Scott, Peter and Willy all shared stories of their histories and travels as well.

This is only a small step, but I believe, an important one.

Thanks,
Steve